GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 597 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.06.2019

HOUSING UNITS UNDER PMAY-G

597. SHRI NIHAL CHAND:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of landless and economically weaker families living below poverty line allotted housing units under the Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana Gramin(PMAY-G) during the last two years, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Governments to raise the targets of building housing units, if so, the details and present status thereof; and
- (c) the effective steps taken by the Government to achieve the targets set in this regard?

ANSWER MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a): Under Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana – Gramin (PMAY-G) beneficiaries are identified based on housing deprivation parameters as per Socio-Economic Caste Census (SECC) – 2011 data and not on the basis of Below Poverty Line. Accordingly, all rural households who are houseless and living in zero, one and two room kutcha house as per SECC 2011 including landless households are provided assistance under PMAY-G. The State/UT-wise number of households provided assistance under PMAY-G is given in Annexure -I.

(b): Under PMAY-G, the target set is construction of 2.95 crore houses to achieve the objective of "Housing for All" by 2022. As on 20th June, 2019, the States / UTs have identified 2.53 crore eligible beneficiaries after due verification of SECC 2011 data. All these identified households are targeted for providing assistance under PMAY-G by 2021-22. However, requests have been received from various States/ UTs for providing assistance under PMAY-G but could not be included in the households who though eligible for assistance under PMAY-G but could not be included in the Permanent Wait List prepared based on SECC 2011 data. Ministry of Rural Development has developed mobile application (Awaas+) for capturing details of such households for inclusion in the PWL after due analysis and verification.

(c): To achieve the target of construction of 2.95 crore houses under PMAY-G by 2021-22, Ministry has taken following steps:

- i. All States / UTs have opened a separate bank account of PMAY-G at the State/UT level called State Nodal Account from where the assistance is transferred directly to beneficiaries bank account through Fund Transfer Order.
- ii. Assistance is transferred directly to beneficiary's bank account through AwaasSoft-PFMS Platform which ensured smooth and faster transfer of funds to the beneficiary.
- iii. Comprehensive online monitoring of different aspects of implementation of PMAY-G viz., identification of beneficiaries, physical and financial progress etc., through MIS-AwaasSoft.
- iv. Evidence based monitoring of construction of house through uploading of geo-tagged photographs at each stage of house construction through the mobile application-AwaasApp.
- v. Increasing availability of trained rural mason through Training, Assessment and Certification under Rural Mason Training Programme.
- vi. Engagement of local functionaries for tagging of each house sanctioned under PMAY-G to improve monitoring and facilitate timely construction of houses.
- vii. Promotion of identified house design typologies for adoption of the same by the beneficiaries of PMAY-G enabling them to construct an affordable, durable and disaster resilient houses.
- viii. Disbursement of Awards to the best performing States/UTs based on performance index dashboard, thereby creating a sense of competition and motivation among the States/ UTs for achieving the set targets.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred in part (a) of reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no. 597 due for answer on 25.06.2019

#SNo	State Name	PMAY-G Houses Sanctioned	PMAY-G Houses Completed
	Total	9928631	8113635
1	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1370	82
2	ASSAM	226911	176383
3	BIHAR	1039315	566415
4	CHHATTISGARH	788234	675045
5	GOA	108	9
6	GUJARAT	212186	174051
7	HARYANA	21002	12105
8	HIMACHAL PRADESH	6903	6553
9	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	33251	15052
10	JHARKHAND	547097	452590
11	KERALA	17077	15800
12	MADHYA PRADESH	1518001	1309618
13	MAHARASHTRA	534706	339400
14	MANIPUR	9740	6777
15	MEGHALAYA	20687	10402
16	MIZORAM	4683	2233
17	NAGALAND	4049	0
18	ODISHA	992394	824954
19	PUNJAB	14023	13171
20	RAJASTHAN	700111	634395
21	SIKKIM	1079	1015
22	TAMIL NADU	301044	171966
23	TRIPURA	25358	23826
24	UTTAR PRADESH	1278115	1241829
25	UTTARAKHAND	12580	12030
26	WEST BENGAL	1392984	1306386
27	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	0	0
	DADRA AND NAGAR		
28	HAVELI	5615	192
29	DAMAN AND DIU	14	13
30	LAKSHADWEEP	53	0
31	PUDUCHERRY	0	0
32	ANDHRA PRADESH	81494	45293
33	KARNATAKA	138447	76050
34	TELANGANA	0	0
	Total	9928631	8113635